



**UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY**  
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## **PLACE HOLDER DOCUMENT**

**FOIA Case Number:** EPA-R10-2021-006309

**Description:** Lower Duwamish Waterway BaP, ESD

WELC requests records of the following type in the possession, custody, or control of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency ("EPA") for the time period starting from January 19, 2017, through the present:

1. All records that mention, discuss, refer to, or involve the Lower Duwamish Waterway Superfund Site in Seattle, Washington, EPA number WA00002329803 ("LDW"), and the EPA's updated risk assessment of Benzo[a]pyrene ("BaP") released on its Integrated Risk Information System ("IRIS") in January 2017.
2. All records that mention, discuss, refer to, or involve the updated risk assessment for BaP released on IRIS January 2017 and the remedial action levels and cleanup levels of polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons ("cPAHs") established in the Record of Decision ("ROD") for the LDW signed on November 21, 2014.
3. All memoranda, white papers, reports, research papers, and other documents that mention, discuss, and/or analyze the updated risk assessment for BaP released on IRIS January 2017 and the remedial action levels and cleanup levels of cPAHs established in the ROD for the LDW.
4. All records that mention, discuss, refer to, or involve the LDW that request, suggest, mention or initiate consideration by the EPA of modification of the remedial action levels and cleanup levels of cPAHs established in the ROD for the LDW.
5. All records that mention, discuss, refer to, or involve the LDW that request, suggest, mention or initiate consideration by the EPA of development of an Explanation of Significant Differences ("ESD") consistent with the Section 117(c) of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act ("CERCLA) modifying remedial action levels and cleanup levels cPAHs established in the ROD for the LCW.
6. All records that have been deleted which fit the above specifications and which remain recoverable in any way. If fulfilling this specification requires additional time, we would ask that production of documents meeting specifications 1-5

**Records responsive to this request are publicly available online at:**

[https://cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/SiteProfiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=second.ars  
&id=1002020&doc=Y&colid=66701&region=10&type=AR](https://cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/SiteProfiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=second.ars&id=1002020&doc=Y&colid=66701&region=10&type=AR)

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